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FM AMEMBASSY TOKYO
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E.O.11652: N/A
TAGS: MARR, JA
SUBJECT: VOA OKINAWA TAX ISSUE

REF: STATE 176046

EMBOFF HAS DISCUSSED TAXABILITY OF VOA PROPERTY IN
OKINAWA SEVERAL TIMES WITH MOFA AT ITS INSTANCE. IN
LATEST DISCUSSIONS ON AUGUST 1, MOFA OFFICERS
INDICATED THEY HAD NOT YET DECIDED HOW TO ANSWER
REQUEST FROM OKINAWA PREFECTURAL GOVERNMENT FOR
OPINION ON WHETHER VOA WAS TAXABLE. MOFA APPEARS
TO BE TAKING MATTER SERIOUSLY AND MAY CONTINUE
STUDYING IT FOR SOME TIME. THAT BEING CASE, WE ARE
NOT YET FACED WITH LEVY OF TAXES ON VOA FACILITIES
AND THEY ARE NOW UNENCUMBERED. EMBASSY FEELS
POSSIBILITY OF THEIR LATER BEING RULED TAXABLE
SHOULD NOT IN ANY WAY SLOW DOWN EFFORTS BY VOA TO
DISPOSE OF PROPERTY AS PROMPTLY AS POSSIBLE.
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Message Attributes

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